

HOUSE BILL 3714

By DeBerry J

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39,  
Chapter 17, Part 13, relative to the possession of  
handguns by certain persons.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1307, is amended by deleting subsection (b) and substituting instead the following:

(b)

(1) A person commits an offense who possesses a handgun and has been convicted of an offense classified as a Class A, B, or C felony.

(2) An offense under subdivision (b)(1) is a Class E felony.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008, the public welfare requiring it.